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Jon:

Thank you.

Please let me know of any developments.

Andy

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Hello Andy:

Attached is the plaintiffs' reply brief. I am not impressed—although they spend a lot of time discussing CERCLA for some reason.

This concludes the briefing. I understand it usually takes about two months for the Montana Supreme Court to “categorize” the appeal and set it for oral argument, which is usually 6-7 weeks later. That would suggest a late December oral argument, which probably means that the argument will be pushed into the early part of next year, with a decision about 6 months later.

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